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# THREE SISTERS

Workshop



by Anton Chekhov

Translated by Paul Schmidt



# THREE SISTERS - workshop production by Anton Chekhov

Director ..... Amy Glazer  
Co Director ..... Joni Coleman  
Costume Designer ..... Eliza Chugg  
Assistant Designer ..... Joni Coleman  
Make Up & Hair ..... Joni Coleman  
Sound Designer ..... Thomas Martin  
Lighting Designer ..... Manuel R. Cabanas  
Set Design ..... Mark Ross

*This production is dedicated with love to Eliza Chugg.*

## Project Notes:

The Three Sisters project came out of a workshop/production class for advanced acting students. This class was an experiment in process and performance training. Each student was cast in a role and required to develop a personal score to experience and perform their character's journey and through-line in the play.

We worked through the play one act at a time, until we reached the final act...not, however, Moscow! This workshop production was made possible by Dean Crane's "Small Projects Grant" and the labor and commitment from my Theatre Arts colleagues.

Amy Glazer  
Head of Performance

*There will be a fifteen-minute intermission  
between Acts II & III.*

*The action takes place in a Russian provincial town, 1900.*

## CAST

Prozorov, Andrei Sergeich ..... Thera Monaco  
Natalya Ivanovna (His fiancée) ..... Jacqui Balrez  
Olga Sergeevna (His sister) ..... Kat. Langender  
Masha Sergeevna (His sister) ..... Maria-Tania Bades  
Irina Sergeevna (His sister) ..... Donna Mae Wong  
Kulygin, Pyodor (High school teacher) ..... Christopher M. Schmelzer  
Vershinin, Aleksandr (Lieutenant colonel) ..... Atasho A. Maloney  
Tuzenbach, Nikolai (Baron) ..... Aaron Voorhees  
Solyony, Vasily (Captain) ..... Steven Christian Smith  
Chebutykin, Ivan (Army Doctor) ..... Benjamin James Crick  
Fedotik, Aleksei (Second Lieutenant) ..... Troy Adamitis  
Rodez, Vladimir (Second Lieutenant) ..... Craig A. Hansen  
Fersapont (Courier) ..... Erik Koehne  
Anfisa (Nanny) ..... Joni Coleman  
Maid ..... Anna Ruscigno

## Production & Technical Crews

Stage Managers ..... Kelli R. Morris, Vicki Peterson  
Properties Crew Head ..... Kelli R. Morris  
Properties Crew ..... Andrea Kroger, Vicki Peterson  
Russian Interpreter ..... Kirill Trachuk  
Stage Crew ..... A.J. Leighton, Marcus Oliver  
Sound Board Operator ..... Greg Fleishman  
Costume Crew ..... Krista Sundberg, Rebekah Walendzek  
Cutter ..... William Henshaw  
Stitchers ..... Rachel Haws and Students in DR 10 & 153  
Program Art ..... T. Setterlund  
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San Jose Repertory Theatre  
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